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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 18, 2002, we submitted an Amendment and a Declaration of William L. Grouell on September 18, 2002, by Express Mail (Mail No. EL640515685US). We erroneously omitted the Affidavit Of William L. Grouell Regarding Non Obviousness Pursuant To 37 CFR § 1.132. The omitted Affidavit is enclosed herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,

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